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15 March 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: SA/DCI/IA

SUBJECT: Proposed Agenda For Your Meeting With Judge Clark,
16 March 1983

1. The following items are on your agenda for the meeting tomorrow:

- Transfer of Civil Space Sensors to Private Sector. You requested that this topic be put on the agenda. Eloise Page has provided backup papers documenting concerns regarding this issue.

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Three Topics Revisited. Walt Raymond suggested three topics that were on the agenda for last week's meeting. There was no indication in your notes or in your Memo for the Record that these items were covered.

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- CIA Role on NSDD-77 Committees. Walt said that Judge Clark will request your approval for a briefing to be given to staff officers [redacted]

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In addition, Clark will raise the use of photography to support public diplomacy. Dick Stone has requested that he be permitted to use photographic evidence of [redacted]

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[redacted] Stone has indicated that the period from 6 to 15 April will be a critical window for public diplomacy, particularly with the Hill. He wants to put photographic evidence up front in his efforts.

- Soviet Defense Spending: An NIE? The NSC apparently believes that the proposal for an NIE on Soviet Defense Spending is still alive. I explained that CIA and DIA have proceeded with an agreement to work out their existing differences on estimates of Soviet procurement. I told him I believed that an NIE was no longer under consideration by these parties. Clarification of the status of this proposal is still needed.

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- Papal Assassination: The D'Amato Letter. D'Amato met with Clark last month and gave him a memo on his two trips to Rome and his discussions of the Papal assassination attempt. Clark had no comment at the time but passed the letter to the DCI two weeks later. [] told Walt of the substantive problems and inaccuracies in D'Amato's letter. You may, however, wish to inform Clark of the DCI's last meeting with D'Amato and subsequent accusations made by D'Amato. []

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- Backfire Production. The DDI has asked the ACIS to prepare papers on the numbers problems with the Backfire production. I will forward these papers as soon as they become available.

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4. Please let me know if there are any topics you would like to have added or deleted on the agenda.

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